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## WITH PENCIL AND SHEARS

Items of Interest Gathered From  
Here and There

W. G. Thomas went to Petersburg by the Humboldt.

The halibut fishing season will begin in a week or two.

A new canvas house improves Rev. Corser's launch.

Jeff Casson has his new gasoline engine installed and ready for business.

Four and a-half inches of rain has fallen at Wrangell during the past week.

The sawmill to Alaska finished her season's work last week, but will not be laid up for winter, at least for a time.

Pies and Cakes Baked to Order and fresh bread kept on hand at all times by Mrs. Fredenberg, Stikine Avenue.

A part of the men who have been working at the Aaron Creek mines, came in last week and went below on the Humboldt.

The steamer Catherine M came in Tuesday from Point Ellis, and will go into winter quarters, the cannery having finished its pack for 1908.

Frank Waterbury has built a new skiff in which to install his engine. The boat is of very light draft, and will be just the thing for hunting ducks.

Fifty-seven thousand dollars was paid by M. A. Green to the Juneau land office, about two weeks ago, the amount being for the purchase of coal lands near Katalla.

New snow has appeared on the crests of the mainland mountains, the first having been seen on Sunday last. A change in temperature is also noticed as a consequence.

P. Haight and John Berg came in last Sunday with about two hundred pounds of fine black bass, which they caught in a few hours fishing over near Zarembo Island.

Capt Edwin and Ricard Hofstad left out last week in the launch Helen H. for Chicago Island, taking with them a lot of mining location notices for the purpose of locating some marble claims. They expect to be gone two weeks.

George Card made a hurried trip in from his logging camp to town in the steamer Gleason, last Friday, bringing a young fellow who had chopped into his face with an ax. The young fellow was chopping limbs with a double-bitted ax, when the tool rebounded and struck him in the face, almost severing his nose and cutting clean through the lid of one eye, though, fortunately, not injuring his sight.

William Thornton Prosser, writing in the latest number of the Pacific Monthly under the caption "Is Alaska Becoming a Rich Man's Preserve?", gives a good description of the manner in which the most valuable lands are being gobbled up by the Guggenheim and Morgan interests. He also takes a fall out of Governor Hoggatt for the arbitrary use which he makes of his authority and prestige to prevent the enactment of legislation such as the great majority of Alaskans desire, thus aiding the bigger interests to the detriment of the smaller capitalists who are striving to develop Alaska's resources.

Capt. Roy Cole is now the commanding officer of the west coast mail boat, "Uncle Dan," and came in last week from Klawak. Capt. Bierd returned to Sulzer.

Ducks and geese are ripe for shooting, but are yet very pin-feathery. This, however, does not deter the Wrangell shootists from having a day's sport on the flats now and then.

Monday, September 7, was Labor Day, and there was no school. The postoffice and cable office only worked part of the day. The printer, however, "dug in" for all he was worth, bearing out the old adage, "no rest for the righteous."

Wm. G. Thomas, administrator, has posted notices to the effect that he will sell the personal property of Andrew Husby, deceased, at public auction on September 28. The property consists of a gasoline launch and fishing gear.

Henry Dunningham last Thursday night took his departure from Wrangell for the mines at Sulzer, and in order to give him the proper send-off, a dance was given at Red Men's Hall, which was well attended by Wrangell dancers.

Sam Cunningham last week received advice that his new engine had been shipped from Detroit, and should be in Wrangell before long. When it gets here and is installed in the new launch, Sam will have one of the finest boats in this section.

Jorgen E. Berg came up from Seattle on the last City of Seattle, bringing with him a blacksmith who will be put to work sharpening drills and doing other smith's work around the Aaron Creek mines. While in Seattle, Mr. Berg had assays made on ore taken from the last discovery, which proved to be the richest yet found. The values were twenty-six per cent copper, seven dollars in gold and one dollar in silver to the ton, aggregating about eighty dollars. This ledge is so near to Aaron Creek that the ore can be easily loaded onto scows near the ledge, and floated down the stream to salt water. Mr. Berg and the other gentleman left for the mines Sunday.

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## WORK AT PORTAGE MOUNTAIN

Company is Talking Little But is  
"Sawing Considerable Wood"

Our writer acknowledges the pleasure of forming the acquaintance of Mr. Remington, president of the Portage Mountain Mining Company, who was in town for a short time during the week, having come down from the Kupreanoff Island properties in the Far Niente, last Sunday night, and returning Monday. While in town he attended to some legal matters in connection with the Portage Mountain claims, that being the principal reason for his trip in.

Mr. Remington is a Minnesota man, and impressed us as one who was not in the habit of talking simply to hear his head rattle, but rather, as a very conservative man, and from our interview we learned that he has been in Alaska for a number of weeks, looking after the interests of the company and examining the properties at Portage Mountain. He informed us that he was highly pleased with the outlook for the successful operation of the mines—so much so, in fact, that upon his suggestion the work of development will not be confined to the mere performance of assessment work, but that arrangements were now being made by which the properties could be worked on a large scale in the very near future.

The properties comprise twenty-one claims, of which twelve claims are in one group, and upon this group the main part of the work is being done in the shape of driving a tunnel on the ledge. This tunnel, Mr. Remington says, is not a small or experimental affair, but is sufficiently large to permit real mining work to be carried on at any time, and is being permanently timbered as driving proceeds. A small crew of men are at work on this tunnel, and will be kept at work there until the intended depth is reached.

The remaining nine claims are outlying at convenient distances from the main group, and upon these assessment work will be done until the company sees fit to make other arrangements.

The success of the development of the Portage Mountain properties will mean a great deal to this entire section, and we shall all welcome the day when they are producing abundant returns.

Mr. Remington will take passage on the next southbound Humboldt from Petersburg for his home in Minnesota.

### OUR NATIONAL PRODUCTS

The school was writing essays under the above heading, one boy taking for his subject "Water." Here is what he wrote:

"This necessary product is used in bath tubs, Wall Street, and California wines. It is sometimes used for drinking purposes. It is all that the Panama Canal lacks. Mixed with earth it makes a splendid and universal campaign material. It also furnishes a fine covering for some of our seaside belles, and in the form of lakes is used extensively in summer for rowing and spooning purposes. It usually comes in drops, the only difference between a puddle and an ocean being the quantity used. It is also useful to carry germs to and fro between countries.

Water is of three kinds—salt, fresh, and fire. Salt water is polygamous (see Salt Lake City), fresh water is lactical (see city dairies), and fire water is elevating (see Kentucky).

Served in the form of wines, it makes a delightful irrigation course; in brooks it is used as a trout apartment; and in pipes it aids the plumber in his mission. In drops it has been known to wear away a stone in the course of hundreds of years; in tears it accomplishes the same result on a heart of stone in less than a minute; it is even sprinkled on babies' passports to heaven. But it is the cause of much crime; without it no one would lie about the umbrella he has stolen. Yet it is responsible, very largely for the roofs over our heads. Altho' we can not get along without it, we are damning it continually."

Harvey Taylor and Otto Hofstad have been re-packing a lot of salmon bellies for shipment.

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The big launches Alaska Chief and W. A. Kelly came in from Shakan during the week. On board the former were a part of the crew of the Shakan cannery, who came over to catch the south bound steamer. The cannery put up a full pack, and closed down for this season.

A rumor is afloat that the Wrangell sawmill will resume operations in a few weeks in order to fill a large order for building lumber. While we have no authentic information in this regard, we trust that the report may prove true. The sawmill whistle has a silvery chime that we all admire.

It appears that the placer mines at Porencpine are good diggings. From the first two days' sluicing, recently, the clean-up amounted to \$2,000, which the Skagway Alaskan says is coarse gold, being about the size of grains of wheat flattened out. The pay occurred all the way down, but the bed rock showed the best values.

Little Johnny Osborne fell from the walk in front of C. M. Coulter's residence to the beach, one day last week, and almost broke his nose.

Marshal Grant returned from Portland by the last Humboldt.

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In the matter of the Estate of Peter Erickson, deceased.  
NOTICE is hereby given that I, William G. Thomas, of the Town of Wrangell, Alaska, have been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Peter Erickson, deceased, that letters of administration were granted to me on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1908. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said administrator or to A. V. R. Snyder, U. S. Commissioner, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated at Wrangell, Alaska, this 11th day of August, A. D. 1908.  
WM. G. THOMAS,  
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## Alaska Sentinel.

PUBLISHED WEEKLY.

WRANGEL.....ALASKA.

When a woman won't she won't—and the reason she won't is because.

Aeronautics is not in its infancy, by any means, but "aviation" is just getting its eyes open.

Before going out in a small boat select the seat which you intend to occupy until you get back to the shore.

After a United States warship is six or seven years old it makes one of the best targets imaginable; but not for any gunners except our own.

Evelyn Thaw is to get an allowance of \$1,000 a month for sticking to Harry, which is more than she could make behind a ribbon counter.

Inasmuch as there are to be no more Caleb Powers trials, Kentucky might concentrate its energies now upon the work of eliminating the night riders.

A Boston man has been accepted by a girl to whom he proposed 208 times. We're willing to bet, however, that he didn't get down on his knees every time.

Many a sweet girl graduate who is thinking now only of a "career" may be more or less surprised to find herself in the June bride class next year.

According to a Texas paper, "some people marry because they want a comrade in arms." Many other marry because they want a reliable commissary department.

An Indian woman named Mrs. Co-Ash-Cho-Nah-To-Yer-Vity was recently granted a divorce in St. Louis. We hope she also received permission to "assume her maiden name."

Financial persons who object to the term "flying machine" are at perfect liberty to call the thing an aerodrome, an aeroplane, an aerobat, an aeromobile, or an airship. This is a free country.

The old square pianos have lost caste to such an extent that dealers no longer take them in part payment for new pianos. And they are too heavy and cumbersome to put in the attic. Their name is obsolescence.

An Anglo-Indian, says an English newspaper, gave the following "character" to his native cook, who exhibited it with much complacency: "This servant has been with me for six months. It seems much longer. He leaves on account of ill health. My ill health."

A few years hence, according to Dr. Jackson, every man who has not had his appendix removed, will be subject to appendicitis. But Dr. Woods Hutchinson says that when the average man has passed the age of 50 he has no appendix—it has disappeared. Still, this does not tend to reassure the exceptional man.

The Ameer of Afghanistan, some of whose subjects have been attacking the British on the frontier of India, has issued a decree that anyone who preaches a war against the English will have his tongue cut off, and that anyone who leaves Kabul for the purpose of fighting the British will have his feet cut off. That seems—whatever else may be said of it—to be an apt application of the principle of making the punishment fit the crime.

There was no opposition in Congress, and there will be none anywhere, to the pension which has been voted to the widows of the late Maj. James Carroll, Surgeon, U. S. A., and the late acting Assistant Surgeon Jesse W. Lazear, U. S. A. Both of these men made great contributions to the knowledge of the relation of the mosquito to yellow fever, and both of them demonstrated their confidence in the theory by voluntarily submitting to inoculation with yellow fever, and forfeited their lives by so doing. The annuity of one hundred and twenty-five dollars a month which the widows will receive is certainly not an excessively generous recognition by the nation of the courage and public spirit of these army surgeons.

The late King Carlos of Portugal was the only monarch of his time who devoted himself to scientific research for the good of his people. Becoming deeply impressed with the importance of fisheries to a large number of his subjects, he determined to study the distribution and habits of the different kinds of fish in the Portuguese seas. Beginning in 1896, he spent a part of each succeeding year until his death on his yacht, named *Amelia*, after his queen, personally superintending the work of sounding, dredging, the collection and preservation of specimens. But his services were not confined to the ocean, for he took an active interest in the welfare and pursuits of the agricultural people. "Dressed like one of themselves," says Sir C. R. Marcham in the *Geographical Journal*, "the king was well known on the hillside and in the farmsteads." He planned to prepare a complete manual of the birds of Portugal, and published two sections on the thrushes and warblers, containing notes on each bird, with his observations on its first appearance

and departure, locality and habits, and thirty-nine large colored plates. The results of his oceanographic campaigns are given in six volumes, the title pages having the simple statement, "par D. Carlos de Braganza"—"by Dom Carlos of Braganza."

Emigration from this country continues at an astonishing rate. Departures for the month of May numbered 75,345. The total emigration for the first five months of the calendar year amounted to 318,368, and for the first eleven days of June there was an addition of 29,283. Immigration was very much smaller, the total for the five months being but 106,513, and this strange condition of affairs comes soon after the fiscal year that gave us the largest immigration in our history. In the one month of May, 1907, the immigration was considerably greater than the returns for the five months of this year. The immigration for May, 1906, was 150,607. There is always emigration as well as immigration, but for the first five months of 1907 it was only 114,137, or 204,231 less than the figures for this year. In contrast with this year's increase there is a decrease in immigration for the same period of more than 400,000. The cause of the change is, of course, the depression in business, following upon a time of extraordinary prosperity, but this general explanation leaves much to be desired. While we agree with those who say that what has happened is a remarkable exhibition of automatic regulation, it would be interesting to know the reasons that are effective in many individual cases. Manifestly the emigrants can hardly be the poorest of their kind, since the poorest are not likely to have the means to travel. Furthermore, the prospects are not so bright in Europe as to be altogether alluring. The emigrants should carry considerable capital with them to support them after they return home. But even if the poorest remain it would seem that the effect of this outflow must be to ease the competition in the labor market, and there is no expectation that there will be any reversal of the present tendencies for some time to come. It is said that the steamship companies believe that the emigration will continue in a large stream, and also that owing to the changed conditions the immigration officials have found it necessary to reduce the number of their employees.



### Injustice to Consumptives.

In the past few years the public knowledge of the nature of tuberculosis, and of the means by which it is spread, has been greatly increased. It is universally recognized now that this is an infectious disease, capable of being communicated from the sick to the well, and that an uneducated or careless consumptive is a menace to the community in which he lives. It is known that his expectoration contains the germs of the disease, and that it is recklessly deposited on the floors of public buildings or in the street if dried, and the bacilli which it contains are carried by the dust to the throats and lungs of others.

So much has been said of this danger, in the effort to suppress the dirty habit of expectoration, that the pendulum has begun to swing too far the other way, and the belief is gaining ground that the consumptive, not matter what his habits or mode of life, is a person to be shunned.

This is cruel, and adds unnecessary weight to the load of suffering the consumptive has to bear. It has led to the barring of health resorts against the subjects of tuberculosis, to the discharge from their positions of wage-earners who are affected in the slightest degree, and even to attempts to isolate the tuberculous as if they were lepers and pariahs.

It is time in the name of humanity that something was said on the other side, and that the public should be told that a consumptive who is cleanly in his habits, and is careful to destroy the expectorated matter by using paper napkins or specially devised cups which can be burned, is in no sense dangerous to his fellows.

A properly conducted sanatorium, filled with tuberculous patients, is indeed one of the safest places for a person with a supposed tendency to the disease to reside.

A consumptive should not sleep in the same bed with a well person, especially a child, should refrain from kissing others, should not use towels or eating utensils in common, should not talk while directly facing his companion in close proximity, should hold a handkerchief before his mouth when coughing, and should observe the well-known rules regarding expectoration. That is all. If he is careful to observe these simple precautions for the sake of his fellows, the public has no reason to shun him.

He can live at home, can mingle with his family, and go into the society of others without the slightest fear of doing them harm. His lot, like that of any sick person, is a hard one, but it should not be made harder by the ignorant and unreasoning fear of those who have misinterpreted the well-intentioned warnings of physicians.

## THE WEEKLY HISTORIAN



1381—Wat Tyler slain at Smithfield.

1635—New York City incorporated.

1805—William B. Ogden, first Mayor of Chicago, born in Walton, N. Y. Died in New York City Aug. 3, 1877.

1815—French under Marshal Ney engaged the allies in battle at Quatre-Bras, Belgium, two days before the Battle of Waterloo.

1841—Meeting of the First United Parliament at Kingston, Ontario.

1851—The famous Marble Arch removed from in front of Buckingham palace, London, to its present location in Hyde Park.

1854—United States warships bombarded Greytown in retaliation for insult to the American consul.... Worcester, Mass., almost destroyed by fire.

1863—Gen. Banks repulsed in the assault on Port Hudson.

1864—House of Representatives repealed the fugitive slave law.... Entry of Maximilian and Carlotta into Mexico.

1868—Mt. Cenis railroad through the Alps opened.

1869—Dr. Livingstone, the African explorer, reached the Congo river.

1870—Hayes and Wheeler nominated by the Republican national convention.

1891—A new Canadian ministry formed by Premier Abbott.

1895—President Cleveland issued a proclamation against Cuban filibusters.

1898—Behring sea award paid.... Joseph Leiter's attempt to corner the wheat market collapsed.... House of Representatives passed joint resolution for annexation of Hawaii.

1904—Nan Patterson indicted for the alleged murder of "Cassie" Young in New York.

1905—Assassination of Premier Delyanov of Greece.

1906—President Roosevelt signed the Oklahoma and Arizona statehood bills.

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## PAPERS BY THE PEOPLE

### THE BUSINESS MAN AND POLITICS.

By Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou.



S. B. CORTELYOU.

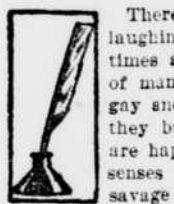
The business man should realize that it is as much of his interest to participate actively in political primaries and conventions as it is to attend to his daily business affairs. We need all over this fair land to-day a revival of the spirit of the old town meeting, where there were general interchange of views, the discussion of public questions, the ascertainment of the needs of the community, and the shaping of plans to meet them.

Notwithstanding the mistakes and the blunders, notwithstanding the evils of these later years, inseparable from a rapid development and an unbounded prosperity, wherein oftentimes the material has been exalted above the moral and the spiritual, the United States may well be proud of American business and American citizenship.

The spirit that, long hidden in the great heart of man, struggled up through the colonial years, up through the revolutionary years, up through the dreadful years of civil strife, that is struggling up through these years of mighty social and economic adjustments, the spirit of the builders and defenders of the republic in every crisis—that spirit of the free man is still with the American people, and will abide with them if they will realize and be true to the high privilege of American citizenship.

### HUMAN HAPPINESS HAS NO LIMITS.

By Ada May Krecker.



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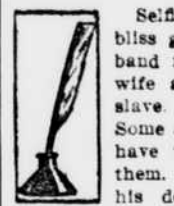
There are certain big things to which I believe are quite irrational about the sorrows of man. They seem to regard all nature as gay and only man as mournful; whereas, did they but appreciate it, if beasts and plants are happy at all, man is happier. Above the senses the intellect overflows blisses denied savage and animal. One testimony to their vividness lies in the conspicuous fact that the grandest intellectual works have been labors of love, wrought by leaved men whose genius could flower because they lived above the level of sordid cares. Above the intellect are born still loftier and lovelier phases of consciousness, still farther away from brute experience—the ecstasy of the saint, the beatific vision, the spiritual illumination, the soul's awakening.

These pleasure experiences reflect in the outer world as pleasure societies and pleasure religions. Not location, nor fear, nor pain, but ever-growing solidarity, security, ease. Under the completed pleasure regime there will be no national boundaries. Happiness now has expanded to so wide a degree that it overreaches the powers of any one man to realize it alone. It is a social enjoyment, a collective happiness. Many must be glad in

order to perfect the peace of one. Still wider it upreaches to beings above the human kingdom in infinite gradations, to the Supreme, who is God not of wrath but of love, whose moral codes bespeak virtue for the beauty and delight of it. When St. Paul adds his ideal of co-working with God, of harmonizing the will with the will of the supreme harmony, happiness has embraced the universal nature and penetrated the universal plan, touched the utmost bound of being.

### PROPER TREATMENT OF WIVES.

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Selfishness is the rock upon which domestic bliss generally goes to pieces. A model husband never plays the tyrant. He treats his wife as an equal, not as a subordinate or slave. Some women are married to bears. Some are caged birds, too sad to sing. Others have that word "obey" eternally thrown at them. Another quality in a good husband is his determination to cultivate cheerfulness and scatter sunshine in his home. He will make himself handy around the house and not expect anything to be done for him. When his wife asks him to mend the sewing machine or put new wire on the screen door, he will not put and say, "That was not in the marriage contract."

He removes a burden wherever he can, and moves around the house like a bearded angel, blessing everything he touches. He overlooks any little weaknesses his wife may possess, instead of calling her a "crosspatch," and then becoming ten times as cross and ugly himself. He sympathizes rather than irritates. He is not always insisting that he is right and his wife is wrong. He is jovial and lenient, and lets the little woman have her own way in many things, always allowing her to have the last word.

A good husband also keeps up his courting as long as he lives. He never forgets to tell his wife how much he thinks of her. He speaks words of praise while she is living and doesn't wait until the funeral to deliver sentiments she cannot hear.

### EMPLOYER HAS HIS RIGHTS.

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The employer has a right to what he has honestly earned. Deny that and you have shattered the corner stone of our civilization. The proposition to abolish private property and make the State the general proprietor is false to every principle of equity and justice. The employer also has a right to decline the services of all intractable men. I believe in the rights of free speech, but I deprecate the inflammatory ebullitions of professional agitators, whose only claim to being workmen is based upon their ability to work the workmen, men who make a revenue out of trouble and who fatten on calamity. I warn you against these disturbers of public peace, these enemies of honest labor.

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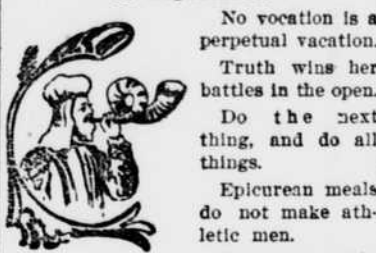
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A good man must be good as well as do good.

Christ made no apology for preaching the truth.

If your life blesses God, God will bless your life.

Though humanity proves false, God will still be true.

It is hard work making an auger-hole with a gimlet.

True principles are as enduring as the throne of God.

Fires of envy warp and mar the things that are ours.

The man who walks with God never has to hunt his own road.

Christian sobriety will not permit of our licensing a recognized evil.

Preaching for oratorical fame is not the kind of preaching God blesses.

Daniel was in training for his lion's den experience a good many years.

The preacher's power will increase as his distance from Christ decreases.

The spider in the saloon, down in the slums, may entice your innocent boy into his web.

A word to the moderate drinker: your indulgence may mean a weaker brother's ruin.

Daniel would not bow to the king in his religious principles, but made the king bow to his religion.

**AN ABIDING INTEREST.**

All the artists who went to Greenbank knew Johnny Lane; he hung round them all his spare time, and asked questions about their pictures and belongings, and ran errands with feigned and pride. Johnny's mother had seven other children, so that her hands were full. But one day it occurred to her to wonder if Johnny were possibly in the way when the artists were busy.

"Now you understand, I don't want any child of mine hanging round where folks don't want him," she said firmly, corralling Johnny one morning.

"Are you sure that red-haired man likes to have you right out there in the marsh with him? Maybe he don't care for boys. I'm afraid you're kind of forthputting."

"No such a thing," said Johnny, stoutly.

"That man likes me 'bout the best of all the ones that paints. The rest of 'em don't talk much to me, but he keeps asking me about my friends, where they are, and when I go fishing and swimming, and so on, just the time we go, he's asked me—and when school begins, and all kinds of things about what I do."

"He's real interested in me, mother, and last night the only reason I came home was because he said he was afraid a mother that had a boy like me would be worrying if he didn't get home before 'twas pitch-dark."

"He's even asked me what time we have dinner, 'cause he said he liked to think of a growing boy getting plenty to eat—so there!"—Johnny's Companion.

**Spanish Goulash.**

Slice bacon and onions, add a little lard and fry the onions until brown.

Have ready lean beef cut in half-inch cubes, put with onions, cover tightly and simmer until all are brown.

Add water, salt and red pepper and cook until done, then thicken with flour and serve. Good with any meat.

A Connecticut woman is suing for divorce because her husband compelled her to jump a rope for the purpose of keeping down her weight. It will have to be admitted that he is a mean man who won't let a woman get fat if she wants to.

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## SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY

Canton has fewer than 500 foreign residents.

Trained falcons to carry dispatches in time of war have been tested in the Russian army. Their speed is four times as great as that of carrier pigeons.

If the real estate of Manhattan Island were divided equally between its inhabitants each individual would own \$2,020 worth, according to the assessed value.

Prof. Carl von Noorden, addressing a number of prominent scientists at Vienna on the subject of "Food and Nourishment," declared that the reason so many men begin to get fat immediately after they have married is because their wives give them their favorite dishes on every possible occasion.—London Standard.

"Vegetable milk" is used in Japan. It is made from the soja bean. The liquid is exactly like cow's milk in appearance, and in taste can hardly be distinguished from it. To make it the beans are first soaked and then boiled in water. Some sugar and phosphate of potassium are added, and it is boiled down till it has the consistency of condensed milk.

Alfalfa was first brought to Kansas by the late Harrison Parkman, of Emporia. Mr. Parkman first saw alfalfa growing in Chile. He brought the seed to America, and in the late seventies he went to Emporia to live. He sowed alfalfa in a farm which he bought and the plant prospered. It was slow in gaining popularity in Kansas, but is now one of the State's most important forage crops.

In New Zealand everybody is bound by law to take a weekly half-holiday, and there must be no shirking the obligation. The Grand Hotel, Auckland, was recently crowded with guests, and several waiters, instead of obeying the law and taking their prescribed weekly half-holiday, remained at work on the promise of extra pay. But the authorities came to hear of it and the proprietor of the hotel had to appear in court, where he was convicted and punished.

The death of Gen. Stephen D. Lee leaves only two surviving lieutenant-generals of the Confederate army. They are Gen. A. P. Stewart, ranking lieutenant-general of the Confederacy, of Blox, Miss., and Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, of Kentucky. General Stewart celebrated his eighty-sixth birthday anniversary on October 7 last. General Buckner was a candidate for Vice President on the National Democratic ticket with Palmer in 1896. He was eighty-five on April 1 last.

The German Emperor has a well-equipped pottery which brings him in \$50,000 a year. The King of Wurtemberg owns two large hotels which yield him a yearly income of some \$40,000.

The King of Saxony owns the famous porcelain factory at Meissen, and the Regent of Lippe Detmold runs a large model farm from which he sells butter and milk and eggs. The King of Serbia is said to own a barber shop and an apothecary shop, in addition to which he holds an agency for motor cars.

I once had a cat that did a rather remarkable rattling feat. He stalked two young rats on the eaves of a low flat stable roof, and caught one in the usual way. The other jumped on to an elderberry tree just below. Bob, however, not satisfied with the one, grasped it firmly in his mouth, and then jumped heading for the other. Either he was very lucky or extraordinary agile, for he fell to the ground with one rat still in his mouth and the other in his paws, and promptly killed them both.—The Scotsman.

A strange story comes from one of the Balkan states, where commercial morality is still in its infancy. At a recent banquet given at the house of the prime minister a distinguished diplomat complained to his host that the Minister of Justice, next to whom he was sitting, had taken his watch. The prime minister said: "Ah, he shouldn't have done that. I will get it back for you." Sure enough, toward the end of the evening the watch was returned to its owner. "And what did he say?" asked the guest. "Sh-h! He does not know I have got it back," said the prime minister.—Philadelphia Record.

"Instances of desertion from the army in Mexico are very rare and for the best of reasons," said Senor Jose de Minaldez, of Nueva Leon. "The reason lies in the almost sure capture of the fugitive and the certainty that he will get not one but numerous floggings on his bare back. These lashings are done in the presence of the comrades of the deserter, and when the men see how great is the suffering of the miserable wretch who tried in vain to quit his military obligations, they are forced to conclude that it is better to stick to the army than undergo such a terrible ordeal!"—Baltimore American.

The passenger traffic through the Simpson tunnel has fluctuated greatly and was largest in August, 1906, the third month of its operation. In that month 42,622 passengers were carried through the tunnel. The number fell to 14,545 in November of that year, and to 10,106 in the following January. The largest number in any month since has been 34,500. The freight traffic has grown rapidly, but is still small. The largest, in 1906, was 5,659 tons in October. For the first five months of 1907 it was about 44,000, swelled by a blockade of the Mont Cenis route. In the first year the gross earnings were \$190,000.

## TALES TOLD BY TEETH.

Remarkable Facts About the Incisors of Men and Animals.

Teeth are not bones, as most people imagine them to be. Though they are attached to the skeleton, they are not a part of it. They develop from the dermis, or skin, and are, as a rule, made up of three substances—"dentine," "cement" and "enamel," says London Answers.

Enamel is the hardest of all animal substances. It actually contains more than 96 parts in 100 of mineral matter—mainly phosphate of lime—while bone contains only 60 per cent. This accounts for the fact that teeth are more indestructible than any other part of animal frame.

What is more wonderful still is that the tooth is the keynote of the frame. An expert anatomist needs only to be shown a tooth or two in order to reconstruct from them the animal from whose jaw they originally came—and this although the animal itself has been dead ten million years, and its kind extinct for almost as long.

Not only do the teeth show what their owner looked like, whether it was animal, lizard, fish or bird—some extinct birds used to possess teeth—but a study of a set of these useful organs will show what the creature used to feed on, and, incidentally, tell a great deal about its life and habits.

Teeth vary in form and number more than any other animal organs. An elephant, for instance, has usually only four teeth in use besides his tusks. But they are big enough to make up in size what they lack in number. The teeth of the elephant tribe are so different from those of other animals that, when a fossil is dug up, the geologist can at a once be certain to what race of creatures it belonged, and is able to reconstruct the gigantic mastodon, or hairy mammoth, in whose jaw it originally grew.

At the other end of the scale, in point of number of teeth, comes the snail. The common garden snail is the happy possessor of 135 rows each of 105 teeth, or a matter of 14,175 teeth in all.

The teeth of fish vary more greatly than those of any other known creatures. Their teeth are not divided into incisors, canines and molars, as in animals, but almost every different kind of fish has differently shaped teeth. Sharks, for instance, have several rows of teeth, all extremely sharp-pointed. The front row stands up erect, but those behind are more or less recumbent. There is never any difficulty in identifying a shark's tooth.

Most fish have a great number of teeth. The dolphin, for instance, possesses 200, but there are others—like the sturgeon—which have no teeth at all. Almost all fish—sharks especially—shed their teeth frequently and grow new ones to replace them.

Snake's teeth—the poison-fangs, that is—have the same peculiarity. There are always fresh ones in reserve to take the place of those which get broken. A rattlesnake may have as many as ten of these reserve teeth. Snake's fangs are very sharp, very elastic, and, contrary to common belief, never hollow, but provided with a groove, along which the poison flows.

The sharp tusks of the crocodile and all flesh-eating lizards need only to be seen once to be easily identified afterward. Some reptiles are toothless. These are tortoises, turtles and toads. A frog may easily be distinguished from a toad by the fact that the latter has no teeth while the former has teeth in the upper jaw, but none in the lower.

**Most Costly Real Estate.**

The most costly piece of real estate in the world is in New York City. It is the half-mile strip of Broadway between Battery park and Vesey street on the westerly side and between Beaver and Ann streets on the southerly side. Though there are few real estate men who care to assume the responsibility of attempting to name an actual value for this wonderful piece of land, there are those who aver that \$500,000,000 would be an extremely low sum. The ground covers about eighteen acres, and on it are the largest and most costly skyscrapers ever put together. "While the assessed value of this property is in the neighborhood of \$150,000,000, it is safe to multiply the assessors' figures by three," said a downtown broker; "then any sane man would add many millions more to get the real value."

**Heavy Guns Cause Damage.**

Considerable damage has been done at Dover, England, by the firing of the heavy guns from the forts which have been erected to protect the national harbor. The town crier was sent round the town to advise the inhabitants to leave their windows open, but upon the firing of the nine-inch guns the vibration was so great that in many cases portions of the ceiling fell, many ornaments were knocked down and broken and windows were cracked.

**Tender Hearted.**

Mrs. Muggins—My husband is too tender-hearted to whip the children. Mrs. Buggins—Humph! My husband is so tender-hearted that he can't even beat the carpet!

**A Remarkable Hat.**

A woman wants a divorce because her husband has purchased her only one hat in twenty-five years.

It would be interesting to know if there is enough of that hat left to get on straight.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**By His Own Hand.**

Everyone is the son of his own works.—Cervantes.

When it comes to lying it doesn't matter how reckless a man is.

## CZAR'S LITTLE SON.

Lively Russian Youngster Who is Constantly Guarded.

Despite early prophecies that he would grow up a sickly child or possibly die before attaining manhood, the Czarevitch Alexis, son and heir to the Czar of all the Russias, is to-day a bright and hearty little lad as could be found in any American household.

Hedged in though he is with court ceremonial and constantly guarded against possible kidnapping by nihilists, Alexis manages to get as much fun out of life as the average boy of his age. He is never happier than when romping around the staid and sombre corridors in a game of tag with his sisters, and



the silent guards stationed at regular and frequent intervals fail to attract his notice at all, except when one inadvertently stations himself in some favorite corner of the baby prince.

Alexis finds little enjoyment in the supposedly favorite game of king's men, playing at soldiers. He finds the tin men and tin fortresses too tedious. He wants to romp with other children and, if allowed his own way, would spend the day playing with boys in the garden, street, or anywhere, as long as he could have fun, active fun, and lots of it. Alexis' happiest moments are probably spent on his father's yacht, where, free from danger of death at the hands of revolutionists, he can romp with the loyal sailors at will.

**PUSS TO THE RESCUE.**

Brought a Rabbit to Hungry Philadelphia Cave Dwellers.

When the first settlers came to Philadelphia, of course there were no houses ready for them, says Sel in the Cat Journal, so a good many of the men dug small caves in the bank of the river. They would dig several feet into the bank, then build walls of sod in front of the little caves. They made the roof by laying branches of trees on top, covering these with rushes from the river and putting pieces of sod on the rushes. The chimney was made of stones plastered with clay.

These caves were used only until the men had time to cut timber and build the houses they wished.

One of the old families of Philadelphia owns a quaint silver tureen on which is engraved a cat seizing a rabbit. In the early days at Philadelphia Elizabeth Hard was living with her husband in one of these dug-out caves while he was building their house. The work went very slowly, and Elizabeth often helped her husband. She brought the water to make the mortar for the chimney, and even helped at one end of the saw.

One day she was very tired, for she had helped all the morning. Her husband told her to rest a while and then think about dinner. Mrs. Hard walked sadly away. The food was nearly gone. Only a few biscuits and a little cheese were left. Just then she saw her cat coming toward her with a large rabbit in its mouth. Mrs. Hard cooked the rabbit and had a nice dinner ready for Mr. Hard when he came for his noon rest. So kitty helped, although she did not know it.

**Marvels in Miniature.**

An English paper has an account of a tiny boat made by an Italian and formed of a single pearl. Its sail is of beaten gold, studded with diamonds, and its headlight, carried at the prow, is a perfect ruby. An emerald serves as the rudder, and its stand is a slab of ivory. It weighs less than half an ounce and its price is said to be \$5,000. The Italians are adepts at minute work, for there are artists in Florence who will take particles of stone and glass no larger than a mustard seed and piece them together on the head of a shirt stud with such nice adjustment of delicate shades of color that flowers and insects are represented in perfect detail, with all the truthfulness of nature.

We have an idea that the women pay a good deal of attention to the hats worn by the milliners.

Boil until tender two pounds of fresh lean pork; when done pick the meat apart with a fork until quite fine, then set aside. Stir cornmeal into the water in which the meat was boiled until you have a good cornmeal mush. Let it cook slowly until well done, and salt to taste and beat well with large spoon. Next put into one-half pint water six large sweet peppers and one small onion, boil until tender and rub through a sieve; have ready two tablespoons melted lard, add to the peppers, stir well and pour over the meat. Soak large corn husks in warm water, spread out and line center of each with a thin layer of the mush, place a small amount of meat on mush, fold well into husks, double ends under, pack in a steamer and steam one hour in the husks.

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**Salmon Pie.**

Empty a can of salmon into a baking dish and cover with a layer of well-whipped mashed potatoes. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and smooth over with butter. Bake about fifteen minutes.

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**Bohemian Goulash.**

Cut up a few onions and fry brown, put in beef cut in small pieces and simmer in its own juice until all moisture is gone, then add a cupful of water. Season with paprika and salt and boil until the meat is tender. Thicken with browned flour. This is very good made with veal.

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**Baked Turnips.**

Pare turnips in small slices one-fourth of an inch thick. Put over fire in salted water and boil until tender (about twenty minutes), then drain and put into pudding dish. Make a white sauce (one pint), put tablespoons butter and flour stirred to paste, then stir in milk by the cupful until a pint is used. Pour over the turnips and cover with cracker crumbs or bread crumbs and bake until just browned over top.

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## FARCICAL FORMALITIES

The American people are getting mortally tired of the campaign formalities, the nominating speeches, the notification speeches, the long speeches of acceptance, and all like riot, in their quadruple play and repetition; it is irksome and stilted and unnecessary. Especially out here in the northwest, thousands of miles from the scene of political initiative and the leading personalities of the hour, is the farce of it all the more apparent.

The old campaign rooster and his raucous crowing are things of the past and not as acceptable as once they were; the people are getting their eyes open to the travesty of it all, and their hearts are calloused against the bitter mockery and shameful faithlessness of the men and systems that stand for it; it goes no further with the average man of sense, who flushes now when he thinks of the assinine acquiescence he lent to the frauds of the past.

The Astorian hits the nail on the head by saying: "We have had a man-president, who has taught us a few things about self-poise and the dignity of things political, and wrought within us a yearning for cleanliness and honesty and frankness in our public relations, aside from all the other things he taught us. We can stand for infinitely simpler code and practice in the transaction of our greater affairs, and the faster we see them reduced to sheer democratic standards and divested of the complexities and the dust-throwing artificialities, the sooner will the nobler balances between the people and their servants, high and low, be struck, to the lasting good of the land."

## SPRINGFIELD'S CONTRIBUTION

Springfield, the place that holds the sacred bones of our own Lincoln; the place of all others in these United States that should have known what to do, and where to stop in the crisis that has swept her, has out-Heroded Herod in her demonstration of mob law and communal vengeance.

Down South, where these things are more frequent, and where we direct our especial anathema and hot criticism, they have the decency to trail their guns and go home after they have killed the unnameable beast that invites their vengeance; but Springfield, probably being new in the cult, goes on for days with the exercise of its senseless reprisals, and half the military strength of the state is invoked to subdue the people who started out to subdue and forget to quit.

White or black, the man guilty of what the wretch at Springfield was guilty, should die quickly, (legally if possible) in order that the dearest charge of society, the young womanhood of the land, may be safer by that death, and this having been wrought, those who have assumed to execute the law, written or unwritten, have no call to go farther and expend their accumulated rage and righteous wrath on all the suspects of the community.

## FREEDOM DAWNING

The sultan of Turkey, at the demand of the Young Turks, a new progressive party, and the army, has issued a decree, granting the people a constitution, a parliament, freedom of the press and other reforms. All over Turkey the women are discarding their veils and taking part in the street demonstrations with the men in celebrating the new liberties and the men cheer the unveiled women. The dispatches say:

"The most remarkable feature of the political upheaval in Turkey has been the participation of hundreds of thousands of women who emerged from the seclusion of the harems, tore off their veils and marched bravely through the city streets. The command of the Koran that women should appear in veils was cancelled by a Moslem priest who issued his proclamation from the mosque. 'We will help make the world beautiful by this act', he declared."

An exchange says that without exception the innovation is approved and one now sees the bright faces of the Turkish women instead of the gloomy veils that enshrouded them. This may truly be regarded as one of the greatest victories yet won for woman's progress.

## A STURDY SCOUNDREL

Heroic history must make a new niche for the sturdy scoundrel who, in one short day, held up sixteen highway coaches and robbed one hundred and twenty people over in the well-guarded Yellowstone Park. Of course he was an utter rascal, and was not even gallant enough to spare the ladies their pin-money and their jewels; but thing of the nerve of him; the grim patience that waited for stage after stage, and then got away!

The range and promiscuity of the thing outdoes all the old-time heroes of the road, and broaches the very sublimity of Thermopylae, Horatius at the Bridge, and other classic people and events, even if the purposes were not so exalted; he has Dick Turpin shadowed to nothingness, and the Boy on the Burning Deck backed clean off the slate. He is the next dime novel model, and it should be written by someone of real capacity in order that the man and his unmatched audacity may be properly recorded somewhere, since it is not likely to appear in court records.

## SHOTGUNS

The Technical World takes a rap at mail order houses in the following language:

"The choice of a shotgun is an important matter, and on this subject the average citizen has much to learn. It is a regrettable fact that much fraud and deception is practiced in the gun trade, and that is directly encouraged by the demand of many customers for a gun at a price at which a reliable fire arm can not be manufactured. In almost any of the mail order journals may be seen dozens of advertisements of 'Damascus finished, double-barreled, breech-loading shotguns, Belgian make, special at \$2.85.' And thousands of such guns are sold. It is difficult to understand how a man is willing to explode thirty grains of smokeless powder, or three drachms of black powder, within a few inches of his head, with nothing between but an eighth of an inch of pot metal.

For the benefit of intending purchasers of shotguns, the World goes on to say:

"It is not intended to convey the idea that it is necessary to pay a high price for a good gun. When the price goes above \$50 the difference is mainly for fancy workmanship. There are on the market a number of double shotguns, good enough for almost any service, which may be purchased at \$15 or \$20. In purchasing a gun at these figures, however, one should be most careful to secure one which is the product of a reliable firm, and should carefully avoid the 'Belgian Damascus' which lacks a firm's name. There is quite an extensive industry in Belgium which produces imitation Damascus steel from the poorest sort of plain iron.

Examples of the low-priced gun which may be relied upon may be easily found—a double-barrel hammer gun at \$15, or a hammerless for \$20. These guns with the top snay, rebounding locks, solid plungers, and with barrels specially adapted to the use of smokeless powder, are safe and reliable. Their weight should be from seven and one fourth to eight and one half pounds."

## A HUMAN OSTRICH

North Bend, Oregon, claims the distinction of having a citizen whose appetite is attracting the attention of the surgical world. The Scientific American recently contained a cut of the junk taken from this man's stomach. Here is his "bill of fare," according to that paper:

Five rifle balls, 3 jackknives, 4 doorkeys, 17 horseshoe nails, four 6-penny nails, 1 fishhook, 1 end from jointed rod, 1 plate from jack knife handle, 15 dimes, 8 nickels and four ounces of glass.

The operation of removing this stock of general merchandise from the man's stomach was fifty-five minutes, and he is getting well.

London papers are discussing the comparative merits of American and English orators. Has England any master of eloquence who can elicit a yell an hour and a-half long, at a distance of several hundred miles, after he has been given two unmerciful likings?

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NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of the Act of Congress approved May 10, 1872, THE OLYMPIC MINING COMPANY, by and through Newark L. Burton, a citizen of the United States, its duly authorized agent and attorney in fact, whose postoffice address is Juneau, Alaska, has made application for a patent for 1500 linear feet on each of the following lodes, viz: Helen S. No. 1 and Harvey Lodes, bearing gold and silver, the same being 1450 feet north and 50 feet south from the discovery shaft of such Harvey Lode and 1500 feet north from the discovery shaft of the Helen S. No. 1 Lode, with surface ground 300 feet in width on either side of the Helen S. No. 1 Lode at the northerly end thereof and 300 feet in width east of said lode line and 150 feet in width west of said lode line at the southerly end thereof, and 300 feet on either side of the Harvey Lode; said lode mining claims being situated in the Wrangell Mining District, in the District of Alaska, and more particularly described as follows:  
Helen S. No. 1 Lode—Beginning at Corner No. 1, whence U. S. L. M. No. 10 bears south 51 degrees 00 minutes east 20 feet distant; thence north 5 degrees 43 minutes west 1507 feet to Corner No. 2; thence east 600 feet to Corner No. 3; thence south 1500 feet to Corner No. 4; thence west 449.54 feet to Corner No. 1, the place of beginning. Variation at all corners 30 degrees 05 min. east.  
Harvey Lode—Beginning at Corner No. 1, whence U. S. L. M. No. 10 bears south 88 degrees 30 minutes west 434.42 feet distant; thence north 260 feet to Corner No. 2; thence east 600 feet to Corner No. 3; thence south 1500 feet to Corner No. 4; thence west 600 feet to Corner No. 1, the place of beginning. Variation at all corners 30 degrees 05 minutes east.  
The total area of said above-described lode mining claims is 88.77 acres.  
The names of adjoining claims, as shown by the plat of survey, are the Helen S. No. 2 and Harvey Lodes on the north and White Roman Lode on the south.  
OLYMPIC MINING COMPANY,  
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